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## Press Club Elects Cullen As President

George Cullen, an editor for the Bureau of National Affairs publications, was elected president of the National Press Club last night.

Cullen, unopposed, succeeds John P. Cosgrove, with Broadcasting-Telecasting Magazine.

Cullen, who steps up from a vice presidency, began his newspaper career with United Press in New York City. At 19, he became managing editor of the Middletown (N. Y.) Daily Herald. He held several newspaper posts with upstate New York dailies before joining the Associated Press. He worked for AP in Albany, N. Y., and Washington.

Other officers elected, also without opposition, are Bryson B. Rash, NBC News, vice president; Robert E. Lee, Rider publications; Windsor P. Booth, National Geographic Society, treasurer; L. David LeRoy, U. S. News & World Report, financial secretary.

Elected to three-year terms on the board of governors were Kenneth McFarland, of the Scripps-Howard Newspapers; Clark R. Mollenhoff, of the Washington Bureau of Cowles Publications, and Lewis W. Shollenberger, director of news operations for the American Broadcasting Co.

Warren Duffee, of United Press International, and Michael Hudoba, Washington editor of Sports Afield, were named to one-year terms on the board.



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